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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 5, lines 1-2, change "any one of claims 1 to 4" to --claim 1 or claim 2--.

Add the following claims:

--6. A side air bag as recited in claim 3, wherein an opening for introducing an inflator gas is formed in a part of said connecting portion.

ON 7. A side air bag as recited in claim 4, wherein an opening for introducing an inflator gas is formed in a part of said connecting portion.--

REMARKS

This simply eliminates the informality of having a multiple dependent claim depend